

St Anne's Church, Chingford

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WORSHIP

8th November 2026 – Remembrance Sunday

Parish Eucharist – 10.00

Welcomers: Rosalind Tatam, Bridget Tongo
Servers: Phil Hallsworth, Jenny Scotchmer
Chalice: Heather Gwynn, Anthony Sullivan
Lessons: Jean Ellis
Prayers: Erika Gloyn
Preacher: Mick Scotchmer
Celebrant: Mick Scotchmer
Music: Bill Gloyn

Only we humans make waste that nature can't digest"
Charles Moore, oceanographer and marine researcher.

Hymns:

772	Thy hand, O God, has guided - omit verse 2	
198	For the healing of the nations	
63	Be still, my soul	
499	Make me a channel of your peace	
255	National Anthem	verses 1 & 3
547	O God, our help in ages past	(NB the tune is St Anne!)



This week

Wednesday	11th Nov	11.30	Bible Study Group
Friday	13th Nov	10.00	Eucharist
		18.45	Joint service with Synagogue
Sunday	15th Nov	10.00	Informal Eucharist with Baptism

Collect

Almighty Father,
whose will is to restore all things
in your beloved Son, the King of all:
govern the hearts and minds of those in authority,
and bring the families of the nations,
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

God of peace,
whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom
and restored the broken to wholeness of life:
look with compassion on the anguish of the world,
and by your healing power
make whole both people and nations;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Old Testament Reading *Wisdom of Solomon 6.12-16*

12 Wisdom is radiant and unfading,
and she is easily discerned by those who love her,
and is found by those who seek her.
13 She hastens to make herself known to those who desire her.
14 One who rises early to seek her will have no difficulty,
for she will be found sitting at the gate.
15 To fix one's thought on her is perfect understanding,
and one who is vigilant on her account will soon be free from care,
16 because she goes about seeking those worthy of her,
and she graciously appears to them in their paths,
and meets them in every thought.

This is the word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

New Testament Reading *1 Thessalonians 4.13-18*

13 We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. 14 For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. 15 For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died. 16 For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord for ever. 18 Therefore

encourage one another with these words.
This is the word of the Lord.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel *Matthew 25.1-13*

When the Gospel is announced the reader says
Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
All **Glory to you, O Lord.**
Jesus spoke this parable to the disciples: [1]'The kingdom of heaven will be like this. Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. [2]Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. [3]When the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them; [4]but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. [5]As the bridegroom was delayed, all of them became drowsy and slept. [6]But at midnight there was a shout, "Look! Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him." [7]Then all those bridesmaids got up and trimmed their lamps. [8]The foolish said to the wise, "Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out." [9]But the wise replied, "No! there will not be enough for you and for us; you had better go to the dealers and buy some for yourselves." [10]And while they went to buy it, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went with him into the wedding banquet; and the door was shut. [11]Later the other bridesmaids came also, saying, "Lord, lord, open to us." [12]But he replied, "Truly I tell you, I do not know you." [13]Keep awake therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour.'
This is the Gospel of the Lord.
All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

This Weeks Music–.The hymns and music this week are influenced by our commemoration of Remembrance Sunday. Many of them will be heard and sung by those sharing this day around the world.

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We do not take a collection during the service at St. Anne's as we have a Parish Giving scheme. However, if you wish to make a contribution you will find a plate at the back of church and a card reader if you prefer to donate in that way. If you would like to join the ***Parish Giving*** *scheme please speak to Lindsey Archer or the church wardens. Also, scanning this QR code will provide information about the scheme and how you can make contributions if you wish.*

Synagogue Visit: 6.45 Friday 13th November– We have decided to split the visits this year to avoid all our events with the synagogue coming in a few weeks. We will therefore be visiting them next week and they will come to us in May. The synagogue is at Marlborough Road, South Woodford, E18 1AR. If driving do not arrive until 6.30pm when parking restrictions are lifted. There will be a supper provided after the service.

Christmas Bazaar - Thursday 26th November 2-5pm, Saturday 28th November 10am-3pm - Less than 3 weeks to go!

We now have raffle tickets at the back of church to buy or to take to sell to family and friends.

Donations of goods to sell are still very much needed, please leave them at the back of church. The tombola is looking for any non perishable food items or liquid refreshment items. Homemade cakes will also be very welcome to sell nearer the time.

Please also don't forget to sign the list at the back of church if you have a crib scene you are happy to lend and also if you can volunteer any help at the bazaar or beforehand setting up.

FOR OUR PRAYERS:

We remember in prayer each day all those both known and unknown to us who are suffering in mind, body and spirit, for those who have care of them, for all who are living with difficulties and trouble at this time and for all who will enter eternity this week.

Anniversaries for November: 1st Frederica Wood, Thelma Mensing, Maude Stannard 2nd Wilhelmina Hoffman 4th Gwendoline Salen 5th David Rolfe 6th Grace Pickard, Pauline Rolph, 8th Emily Ralph, 12th Elsie Maloney, 13th Donald Patton, 14th Jack Newnham, 15th Henry Hebbard, Alfred Burnett, 21st George Digman, 23rd, Graham Miller, Brian Warner, 27th, Gladys Larsen, Peter John Smith, 28th Lillian Taylor, Roy Stratton, 30th, Laurence Mountford.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them, may they rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen